

endangered bowhead whale by a native group. Meanwhile, that same delegation opposed Japan's request for a small-scale whale hunt for scientific research. Mr. Speaker, it is plainly clear the Clinton administration has no real whaling policy.

This lack of a coherent policy is why we definitely need to hold congressional hearings on the Clinton administration's support of renewing commercial whaling under the guise of Native American hunting rights.

As a member of the Fisheries, Wildlife and Oceans Subcommittee and the Subcommittee on Native American and Insular Affairs, I intend to do everything in my power to stop this tragedy before it gets started.

I would like to close by quoting from an editorial which appeared in the June 23 *Seattle Times*:

By supporting the Makah bid to the IWC, the U.S. sets up an untenable double standard—Native American whaling is legitimate but Japanese whaling is not. It will get worse; tribes from Washington to the Bering Sea are sharpening their harpoons, waiting for the Makahs to get the go-ahead.

The *Seattle Times* editorial continues:

As creatures that routinely migrate the globe, whales demand a coherent and consistent international policy. If the world community approves the Makahs' whale hunt, then Japan deserves the same. But the long, grim history of commercial whaling points to a tougher response: No more harpoons. Whales are for watching.

Mr. Speaker, I have the good fortune occasionally to observe gray whales from my home on Whidbey Island. The Gray Whale should be protected, not hunted.

LEAVE OF ABSENCE

By unanimous consent, leave of absence was granted to:

Mr. HALL of Ohio (at the request of Mr. GEPHARDT), for today, on account of personal business.

Mr. YATES (at the request of Mr. GEPHARDT), for today, after 8 p.m., on account of personal business.

SPECIAL ORDERS GRANTED

By unanimous consent, permission to address the House, following the legislative program and any special orders heretofore entered, was granted to:

(The following Members (at the request of Mr. POSHARD) to revise and extend their remarks and include extraneous material:)

Mrs. COLLINS of Illinois, for 5 minutes, today.

Ms. KAPTUR, for 5 minutes, today.

Mr. FALOMAVEGA, for 5 minutes, today.

Mr. PALLONE, for 5 minutes, today.

(The following Members (at the request of Mr. WATTS of Oklahoma) to revise and extend their remarks and include extraneous material:)

Mr. RIGGS, for 5 minutes, today.

Mr. METCALF, for 5 minutes, today.

Ms. ROS-LEHTINEN, for 5 minutes, today.

Mr. LARGENT, for 5 minutes, today.

Mr. BARR, for 5 minutes, today.

ENROLLED BILLS SIGNED

Mr. THOMAS, from the Committee on House Oversight, reported that that committee had examined and found truly enrolled bills of the House of the following titles, which were thereupon signed by the Speaker:

H.R. 2437. An act to provide for the exchange of certain lands in Gilpin County, Colorado.

H.R. 3525. An act to amend title 18, United States Code, to clarify the Federal jurisdiction over offenses relating to damage to religious property.

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ADJOURNMENT TO MONDAY, JULY 8, 1996

Mr. WATTS of Oklahoma. Mr. Speaker, I move that the House do now adjourn.

The motion was agreed to.

The SPEAKER pro tempore (Mr. PETRI). Pursuant to the provisions of House Concurrent Resolution 192 of the 104th Congress, the House stands adjourned until noon on Monday, July 8, 1996.

Thereupon (at 1 o'clock and 16 minutes a.m.), pursuant to House Concurrent Resolution 192, the House adjourned until Monday, July 8, 1996, at 12 noon.

EXECUTIVE COMMUNICATIONS, ETC.

Under clause 2 of rule XXIV, executive communications were taken from the Speaker's table and referred as follows:

3860. A letter from the Administrator, Agricultural Marketing Service, transmitting the Service's final rule—Almonds Grown in California; Order Amending the Order (FV93-981-1) received June 27, 1996, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Agriculture.

3861. A letter from the Administrator, Agricultural Marketing Service, transmitting the Service's final rule—Spearmint Oil Produced in the Far West; Order Amending the Order (FV95-985-4) received June 27, 1996, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Agriculture.

3862. A letter from the Under Secretary for Food, Nutrition, and Consumer Services, Department of Agriculture, transmitting the Department's final rule—Food Stamp Program: Automated Date Processing Equipment and Services; Reduction in Reporting Requirements (Food and Consumer Service) (RIN: 0584-AB92) received June 26, 1996, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Agriculture.

3863. A letter from the Director, Office of Regulatory Management and Information, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting the Agency's final rule—Notification Procedures for Pesticide Registration Modification (FRL 5372-8) received June 27, 1996, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Agriculture.

3864. A letter from the Director, Office of Regulatory Management and Information, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting the Agency's final rule—Pesticide Worker Protection Standard; Language and Size Requirements to Warning Sign (FRL-5358-7) received June 27, 1996, pursuant to 5

U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Agriculture.

3865. A letter from the Director, Office of Regulatory Management and Information, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting the Agency's final rule—Pesticide Worker Protection Standard; Language and Size Requirement for Warning Sign (FRL-5358-8) received June 27, 1996, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Agriculture.

3866. A letter from the Administrator, Farm Service Agency, transmitting the Agency's final rule—Tobacco-Tobacco Loan Program (RIN: 0560-AE41) received June 27, 1996, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Agriculture.

3867. A letter from the Acting General Sales Manager and Acting Vice President, Commodity Credit Corporation, Foreign Agricultural Service, transmitting the Service's final rule—Commodity Credit Corporation Supplier Credit Guarantee Program (RIN: 0551-AA30) received June 26, 1996, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Agriculture.

3868. A letter from the Under Secretary of Defense, transmitting the Department's report on nonmajor acquisition programs, pursuant to 10 U.S.C. 2220(b); to the Committee on National Security.

3869. A letter from the Under Secretary of Defense, transmitting the Department's report on payment of restructuring costs under defense contracts, pursuant to 10 U.S.C. 2324 note; to the Committee on National Security.

3870. A letter from the General Counsel, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Operating-Differential Subsidy for Bulk Cargo Vessels; Maintenance and Repair Subsidy (Maritime Administration) (RIN: 2133-AB27) received June 27, 1996, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on National Security.

3871. A letter from the Deputy Secretary of Defense, transmitting the Department's report entitled "Effect of Closure of Fitzsimons Army Medical Center on Provision of Care to Military Personnel, Retired Military Personnel, and their Dependents," pursuant to Public Law 104-106, section 747(a) (110 Stat. 387); to the Committee on National Security.

3872. A letter from the Acting Assistant Secretary for Legislative Affairs, Department of State, transmitting a copy of Presidential Determination No. 96-35: Determination Under Section 2(b)(2)(D) of the Export-Import Bank Act of 1945, as Amended: People's Republic of China; to the Committee on Banking and Financial Services.

3873. A letter from the Assistant Secretary of Education, transmitting notice of final priority and limitation on use of funds; Elementary School Mathematics and Science Equipment Program for the fund for the improvement of education, pursuant to 20 U.S.C. 1232(f); to the Committee on Economic and Educational Opportunities.

3874. A letter from the Assistant Secretary, Department of Education, transmitting Final Priority—Postsecondary Education Program for Individuals with Disabilities, pursuant to 20 U.S.C. 1232(f); to the Committee on Economic and Educational Opportunities.

3875. A letter from the Assistant General Counsel for Regulations, Department of Education, transmitting the Department's report on postsecondary education programs for individuals with disabilities, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(B); to the Committee on Economic and Educational Opportunities.

3876. A letter from the Deputy Executive Director and Chief Operating Officer, Pension Benefit Guaranty Corporation, transmitting the Corporation's final rule—Reorganization, Renumbering, and Reinvention

of Regulations (RIN: 1212-AA75) received June 26, 1996, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Economic and Educational Opportunities.

3877. A letter from the General Counsel, Department of Energy, transmitting the Department's final rule—Federal Energy Management and Planning Programs; Methodology and Procedures for Life Cycle Cost Analyses [Docket No. EE-RM-95-501] (RIN: 1991-AA80) received June 26, 1996, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Commerce.

3878. A letter from the Director, Office of Regulatory Management and Information, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting the Agency's "Major" final rule—Regulation of Fuels and Fuel Additives: Certification Standards for Deposit Control Gasoline Additives (FRL-5528-5) received June 27, 1996, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Commerce.

3879. A letter from the Director, Office of Regulatory Management and Information, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting the Agency's final rule—General Procedures to Opt out of the Reformulated Gasoline Requirements; Removal of Jefferson County, Albany and Buffalo, New York; Twenty-eight Counties in Pennsylvania; and Hancock and Waldo Counties in Maine from the Reformulated Gasoline Program (FRL 5528-6) received June 27, 1996, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Commerce.

3880. A letter from the Director, Office of Regulatory Management and Information, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting the Agency's final rule—Withdrawal of Final Test Rule for Mesityl Oxide (FRL-5363-2) received June 27, 1996, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Commerce.

3881. A letter from the Director, Office of Regulatory Management and Information, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting the Agency's final rule—Flutolanil; Pesticide Tolerance (FRL-5369-7) received June 27, 1996, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Commerce.

3882. A letter from the Director, Office of Regulatory Management and Information, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting the Agency's final rule—Potassium Citrate; Tolerance Exemption (FRL-5381-5) received June 27, 1996, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Commerce.

3883. A letter from the Director, Office of Regulatory Management and Information, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting the Agency's final rule—Folpet; Revocation of Pesticide Tolerances (FRL-5382-1) received June 27, 1996, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Commerce.

3884. A letter from the Director, Office of Regulatory Management and Information, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting the Agency's final rule—Pentaerythritol Stearates; Tolerance Exemption (FRL-5381-2) received June 27, 1996, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Commerce.

3885. A letter from the Secretary, Federal Trade Commission, transmitting the Commission's final rule—Rule Concerning Disclosures Regarding Energy Consumption and Water Use of Certain Home Appliances and Other Products Required Under The Energy Policy and Conservation Act (16 CFR Part 305) received June 26, 1996, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Commerce.

3886. A letter from the Administrator, Health Care Financing Administration, transmitting the Administration's report entitled "Evaluation of the Grant Program for Rural Health Care Transition," report to Congress 1996, pursuant to 42 U.S.C. 1395ww note; to the Committee on Commerce.

3887. A letter from the Chairman, Securities and Exchange Commission, transmitting

the annual report of the Securities Investor Protection Corporation for the year 1995, pursuant to 15 U.S.C. 78ggg(c)(2); to the Committee on Commerce.

3888. A letter from the Acting Director, Defense Security Assistance Agency, transmitting notification concerning the Department of the Air Force's proposed Letter(s) of Offer and Acceptance [LOA] to Jordan for defense articles and services (Transmittal No. 96-45), pursuant to 22 U.S.C. 2776(b); to the Committee on International Relations.

3889. A letter from the Acting Director, Defense Security Assistance Agency, transmitting a report of enhancement or upgrade of sensitivity of technology or capability for Japan (Transmittal No. E-96), pursuant to 22 U.S.C. 2776(b)(5)(A); to the Committee on International Relations.

3890. A letter from the Acting Director, Defense Security Assistance Agency, transmitting the Department of the Air Force's proposed lease of defense articles to Jordan (Transmittal No. 14-96), pursuant to 22 U.S.C. 2796a(a); to the Committee on International Relations.

3891. A letter from the Acting Director, Defense Security Assistance Agency, transmitting the Department of the Air Force's proposed lease of defense articles to Jordan (Transmittal No. 13-96), pursuant to 22 U.S.C. 2796a(a); to the Committee on International Relations.

3892. A letter from the Acting Director, Defense Security Assistance Agency, transmitting the Department of the Air Force's proposed lease of defense articles to Oman (Transmittal No. 21-96), pursuant to 22 U.S.C. 2796a(a); to the Committee on International Relations.

3893. A letter from the Acting Director, Defense Security Assistance Agency, transmitting the Department of the Navy's proposed lease of defense articles to Israel (Transmittal No. 22-96), pursuant to 22 U.S.C. 2796a(a); to the Committee on International Relations.

3894. A letter from the Acting Director, Defense Security Assistance Agency, transmitting the Department of the Navy's proposed lease of defense articles to Israel (Transmittal No. 23-96), pursuant to 22 U.S.C. 2796a(a); to the Committee on International Relations.

3895. A letter from the Acting Director, Defense Security Assistance Agency, transmitting the Department of the Army's proposed lease of defense articles to the United Nations for use in Rwanda (Transmittal No. 20-96), pursuant to 22 U.S.C. 2796a(a); to the Committee on International Relations.

3896. A letter from the Acting Director, Defense Security Assistance Agency, transmitting notification that the Department of Defense has completed delivery of defense articles, services, and training on the attached list to the Dominican Republic, pursuant to 22 U.S.C. 2318(b)(2); to the Committee on International Relations.

3897. A letter from the Acting Assistant Secretary for Legislative Affairs, Department of State, transmitting notification of a proposed issuance of export license agreement for the transfer of defense articles or defense services sold commercially to Belgium (Transmittal No. DTC-34-96), pursuant to 22 U.S.C. 2776(c); to the Committee on International Relations.

3898. A letter from the Assistant Legal Adviser for Treaty Affairs, Department of State, transmitting text of agreements in which the American Institute in Taiwan is a party between January 1 and December 31, 1995, pursuant to 22 U.S.C. 3311(a); to the Committee on International Relations.

3899. A letter from the Chief Counsel, Office of Foreign Assets Control, Department of the Treasury, transmitting the Depart-

ment's final rule—Blocked Persons, Specially Designated Nationals, Specially Designated Terrorists, Specially Designated Narcotics Traffickers, and Blocked Vessels (Office of Foreign Assets Control) (31 CFR Chapter V) received June 25, 1996, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on International Relations.

3900. A letter from the NARA Regulatory Policy Official, National Archives and Records Administration, transmitting the Archive's final rule—Audiovisual Records Management (RIN: 3095-AA18) received June 26, 1996, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Government Reform and Oversight.

3901. A letter from the Program Management Officer, National Marine Fisheries Service, transmitting the Service's final rule—Atlantic Tuna Fisheries; Annual Quotas and Effort Controls [Docket No. 960416112-6164-02; I.D. 030896D] received June 29, 1996, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Resources.

3902. A letter from the Deputy Assistant Administrator for Ocean Services and Coastal Zone Management, National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration, transmitting the Administration's final rule—Coastal Zone Management Program Regulations [Docket No. 960126015-6165-02] (RIN: 0648-A143) received June 26, 1996, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Resources.

3903. A letter from the Acting Assistant Administrator for Fisheries, National Marine Fisheries Service, National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration, transmitting the Service's final rule—Fisheries of the Caribbean, Gulf of Mexico, and South Atlantic [Docket No. 960313071-6169-022; I.D. 050996D] received June 27, 1996, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Resources.

3904. A letter from the Administrator, Federal Aviation Administration, transmitting the report on the effectiveness of the Civil Aviation Security Program for the period January through December 1994, pursuant to 49 U.S.C. app. 1356(a); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

3905. A letter from the General Counsel, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Airworthiness Directives; Jetstream Model 4101 Airplanes [Docket 96-NM-129-AD] (RIN: 2120-AA64) received June 27, 1996, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

3906. A letter from the General Counsel, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Airworthiness Directives; Jetstream Model 4101 Airplanes [Docket No. 95-NM-159-AD] (RIN: 2120-AA64) received June 27, 1996, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

3907. A letter from the General Counsel, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Airworthiness Directives; Dornier Model 328-100 Series Airplanes [Docket No. 95-NM-231-AD] (RIN: 2120-AA64) received June 27, 1996, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

3908. A letter from the General Counsel, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Airworthiness Directives; Fokker Model F28 mark 0100 and 0070 Series Airplanes [Docket No. 95-NM-224-AD] (RIN: 2120-AA64) received June 27, 1996, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

3909. A letter from the Secretary of Veterans Affairs, transmitting a draft of proposed legislation to redesignate the title of the National Cemetery System and the position of the Director of the National Cemetery System; to the Committee on Veterans' Affairs.

3910. A letter from the Regulatory Policy Officer, Bureau of Alcohol, Tobacco and Firearms, transmitting the Bureau's final rule—Statement of Procedural Rules (RIN: 1512-AB53) received June 25, 1996, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Ways and Means.

3911. A letter from the Regulatory Policy Officer, Bureau of Alcohol, Tobacco and Firearms, transmitting the Bureau's final rule—Taxpaid Distilled Spirits Used in Manufacturing Products Unfit for Beverage Use (RIN: 1512-AA20) received June 25, 1996, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Ways and Means.

3912. A letter from the Regulatory Policy Officer, Bureau of Alcohol, Tobacco and Firearms, transmitting the Bureau's final rule—Extension of the Paso Robles Viticultural Area (93F-026T) (RIN: 1512-AA07) received June 25, 1996, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Ways and Means.

3913. A letter from the General Counsel, Department of Treasury, transmitting a draft of proposed legislation to amend section 304 of the Tariff Act of 1930 concerning the country of origin marking of certain imported articles and containers of a NAFTA country, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

3914. A letter from the Assistant Secretary for Employment and Training, Department of Labor, transmitting the Department's final rule—Work Incentive (WIN) Programs for AFDC Recipients; Removal of Obsolete Work Program Regulations (RIN: 1205-AB12) received June 26, 1996, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Ways and Means.

3915. A letter from the Chief, Regulations Unit, Internal Revenue Service, transmitting the Service's final rule—Regulations Under Section 1502 of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986; Limitations on Net Operating Loss Carryforwards and Certain Built-in Losses and Credits Following an Ownership Change of a Consolidated Group (RIN: 1545-AU36) received June 26, 1996, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Ways and Means.

3916. A letter from the Chief, Regulations Unit, Internal Revenue Service, transmitting the Service's final rule—Consolidated Returns—Limitations on the use of certain losses and deductions (RIN: 1545-AU35) received June 26, 1996, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Ways and Means.

3917. A letter from the Chief, Regulations Unit, Internal Revenue Service, transmitting the Service's final rule—Modifications of Debt Instruments (RIN 1545-AR04) received June 25, 1996, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Ways and Means.

3918. A letter from the Chief, Regulations Unit, Internal Revenue Service, transmitting the Service's final rule—Part III Administrative, Procedural, and Miscellaneous (Revenue Procedure 96-37) received June 26, 1996, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Ways and Means.

3919. A letter from the Chief, Regulations Unit, Internal Revenue Service, transmitting the Service's final rule—Regulations Under Section 382 of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986; Application of Section 382 in Short Taxable Years and With Respect to Controlled Groups (RIN 1545-AU37) received June 26, 1996, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Ways and Means.

3920. A letter from the Chief, Regulations Unit, Internal Revenue Service, transmitting the Service's final rule—Extensions of Time to Make Elections (RIN: 1545-AU41) received June 26, 1996, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Ways and Means.

3921. A letter from the Chief, Regulations Unit, Internal Revenue Service, transmitting the Service's final rule—Part IV—Items of General Interest—Processing of Returns Filed by Exempt Organizations to be Centralized in the Ogden Service Center (Announcement 96-63, 1996-29 I.R.B.) received June 27, 1996, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Ways and Means.

3922. A letter from the Director, Office of Congressional Affairs, Nuclear Regulatory Commission, transmitting the Commission's fiscal year [FY] 1997 budget request; jointly, to the Committees on Commerce and Appropriations.

3923. A letter from the Secretary of Health and Human Services, transmitting the Department's report on the development of relative value units for the full range of pediatric physicians' services, pursuant to Public Law 103-432, section 124(b)(2) (108 Stat. 4413); jointly, to the Committees on Ways and Means and Commerce.

3924. A letter from the Fiscal Assistant Secretary, Department of the Treasury, transmitting the Department's March 1996 "Treasury Bulletin," pursuant to 26 U.S.C. 9602, 26 U.S.C. 9602(a), 26 U.S.C. 9505, 42 U.S.C. 10222(e)(1), 16 U.S.C. 1606a(c)(1), 31 U.S.C. 331(b), 42 U.S.C. 2297(g), and section 9633(b)(1) of CERCLA; jointly, to the Committees on Ways and Means, Transportation and Infrastructure, Economic and Educational Opportunities, Commerce, Agriculture, and Resources.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES ON PUBLIC BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS

Under clause 2 of rule XIII, reports of committees were delivered to the Clerk for printing and reference to the proper calendar, as follows:

Mr. ARCHER: Committee on Ways and Means. H.R. 361. A bill to provide authority to control exports, and for other purposes (Rept. 104-605, Pt. 2). Referred to the Committee of the Whole House on the State of the Union.

Mr. CLINGER: Committee on Government Reform and Oversight. Fraud and Abuse in Medicare and Medicaid: Stronger Enforcement and Better Management Could Save Billions (Rept. 104-641). Referred to the Committee of the Whole House on the State of the Union.

Mr. SPENCE: Committee on National Security. H.R. 3308. A bill to amend title 10, United States Code, to limit the placement of U.S. forces under United Nations operational or tactical control, and for other purposes (Rept. 104-642, Pt. 1). Referred to the Committee of the Whole House on the State of the Union.

Mr. YOUNG of Alaska: Committee on Resources. H.R. 2560. A bill to provide for conveyances of certain lands in Alaska to Chickaloon-Moose Creek Native Association, Inc., Ninilchik Native Association, Inc., Seldovia Native Association, Inc., Tyonek Native Corporation, and Knikatu, Inc. under the Alaska Native Claims Settlement Act; with an amendment (Rept. 104-643). Referred to the Committee of the Whole House on the State of the Union.

Mr. ROBERTS: Committee on Agriculture. H.R. 2670. A bill to provide for the release of the reversionary interest held by the United States in certain property located in the County of Iosco, MI; with an amendment (Rept. 104-644). Referred to the Committee of the Whole House on the State of the Union.

Mr. ROBERTS: Committee on Agriculture. H.R. 3387. A bill to designate the Southern Piedmont Conservation Research Center lo-

cated at 1420 Experimental Station Road in Watkinsville, GA, as the "J. Phil Campbell, Senior Natural Resource Conservation Center" (Rept. 104-645). Referred to the House Calendar.

Mr. HYDE: Committee on the Judiciary. H.R. 2925. A bill to modify the application of the antitrust laws to health care provider networks that provide health care services; and for other purposes (Rept. 104-646). Referred to the Committee of the Whole House on the State of the Union.

Mr. STUMP: Committee on Veterans' Affairs. H.R. 3458. A bill to increase, effective as of December 1, 1996, the rates of compensation for veterans with service-connected disabilities and the rates of dependency and indemnity compensation for the survivors of certain disabled veterans (Rept. 104-647). Referred to the Committee of the Whole House on the State of the Union.

Mr. STUMP: Committee on Veterans' Affairs. H.R. 3643. A bill to amend title 38, United States Code, to extend through December 31, 1998, the period during which the Secretary of Veterans Affairs is authorized to provide priority health care to certain veterans who were exposed to agent orange or who served in the Persian Gulf war and to make such authority permanent in the case of certain veterans exposed to ionizing radiation, and for other purposes; with amendments (Rept. 104-648). Referred to the Committee of the Whole House on the State of the Union.

Mr. STUMP: Committee on Veterans' Affairs. H.R. 3673. A bill to amend title 38, United States Code, to revise and improve certain veterans programs and benefits, to authorize the American Battle Monuments Commission to enter into arrangements for the repair and long-term maintenance of war memorials for which the Commission assumes responsibility, and for other purposes (Rept. 104-649). Referred to the Committee of the Whole House on the State of the Union.

Mr. STUMP: Committee on Veterans' Affairs. H.R. 3674. A bill to amend title 38, United States Code, to clarify the causal relationship required between a veteran's service-connected disability and employment handicap for purposes of determining eligibility for training and rehabilitation assistance, to transfer certain educational assistance entitlements from the Post-Vietnam Era Educational Assistance Program to the Montgomery GI bill, and for other purposes (Rept. 104-650). Referred to the Committee of the Whole House on the State of the Union.

Mr. KASICH: Committee on the Budget. H.R. 3734. A bill to provide for reconciliation pursuant to section 201(a)(1) of the concurrent resolution on the budget for fiscal year 1997 (Rept. 104-651). Referred to the Committee of the Whole House on the State of the Union.

Mr. BLILEY: Committee on Commerce. H.R. 248. A bill to amend the Public Health Service Act to provide for the conduct of expanded studies and the establishment of innovative programs with respect to traumatic brain injury, and for other purposes; with an amendment (Rept. 104-652). Referred to the Committee of the Whole House on the State of the Union.

Mr. ROBERTS: Committee on Agriculture. H.R. 3665. A bill to transfer to the Secretary of Agriculture the authority to conduct the census of agriculture; with amendments (Rept. 104-653 Pt. 1). Ordered to be printed.

DISCHARGE OF COMMITTEE

Pursuant to clause 5 of rule X The Committee on International Relations discharged from further consideration. H.R. 3308 referred to the Committee on the Whole House on the State of the Union.